

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of : Christiane Yoakim, et al ) Art Unit: 1624  
Serial No. : 10/662,856 ) Examiner: Kifle, B.  
Confirmation No. : 2131  
Filed : September 15, 2003  
For : Non-Nucleoside Reverse Transcriptase inhibitors  
Docket No. : 13/086

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AMENDMENT AFTER NON-FINAL

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed on November 21, 2005, please enter the following amendments and reconsider the application in view of these amendments and the following remarks.

It is hereby petitioned that the period permitted for response be extended by 3 months, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), so that it will expire on May 21, 2006.